## Course Title:
Global Terrorism

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CRIM 3316 (Wroxton College)

## Instructor:
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### Course Description:
This course held at FDU’s University College and Wroxton College (England), will examine the history, causes, motives and effects of terrorism from a cultural, religious, political, economic, psychological, geographic, and global perspective. The course will examine tactics and operational strategies used to commit terrorist acts and countermeasures employed by government and the private sector to prevent and combat terrorism, to include the role and responsibility of the media and the criminal justice system. This course features field visits and guest lecturers with experience and expertise in the field of terrorism. A combination of academic, cultural, and social experiences will provide for a holistic learning experience. Please note that this syllabus is supplemented by a detailed daily itinerary provided by Wroxton College.

### Prerequisites (If any):

### Goals and Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, you should be able to cogently address the following questions and content areas:

1. Provide an outline of Britain’s history and the developments of its current day political structure.
2. Explain Britain’s influence on the America’s legal and political system.
3. Discuss Britain’s history in dealing with terrorism and its current day experiences.
4. Explain the various definitions common to terrorism.
5. Discuss the purposes and motivations of terrorism.
6. Explain the use of terrorism as instruments of fear, change, influence and control.
7. Identity some of the methods and tactics that terrorists employ.
9. Discuss the role and influence of the media with regard to terrorism.
10. Identify how Great Britain and the London Metropolitan Police have responded to terrorism.
11. Discuss the economic impact terrorism has had on businesses and governments alike.
12. Explain what social, political, economic and tactical responses can best serve to combat terrorism.

**Course Topics:**

See above

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